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GRAVELINE TIME LINE
by
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1631-1633 Urbain Baudreau dit Graveline was born to Marie Chauveau and Jean Baudreau.

1653 Urbain signed a contract to serve the colony of Ville-Marie (Montreal) for five years.

1653 In September Urbain arrived in Montreal from France.

1658 Urbain returned to France when his contract was finished.

1659 He returned to Montreal.

1664 Urbain married Marguerite (Mathurine) Juillet in Ville-Marie (Montreal).

1671 Jean Baptiste Baudreau was born in Montreal and baptized 18 May 1671.

1699 Jean Baptiste was one of 60 Canadians who sailed to Rochefort, France with Serigny.

1699 They embarked on the LA RENOMMEE from La Rochelle in October.

1700 Jean Baptiste Baudreau dit Graveline reached Ft. Maurepas 8 January.

1702 The capital was moved to the Mobile River. Jean Baptiste lived Ft. Louis for a time.

1713 Graveline was living on Dauphin Island when his wife, Susana, died.

1700's Graveline fathered two children, one legitimate, one illegitimate.
Jean Baptiste II and Madgeline.

1715 Marie Catherine Vinconneau was born in La Rochelle in September.
Her parents were Catherine Doussin and Louis Vinconneau.

1718 Graveline settled on the west side of the Pascagoula River.

1719 Marie Catherine and her mother departed France to Colonial Louisiana.

1723 Her father, a master tailor, was deceased and her mother married Joseph LaPoint.

1734 Marie Catherine and Jean Baptiste Baudreau II were married.

1735 Their first child, Marie Catherine, was born 4 January.

1736 Their second child, Jean Baptiste III, was born 11 September.

1737 Their third child born, was named Claude.

1742 Their last child born, Louise Catherine, was born 13 January.

1740's Graveline married Martha LaVergne who was deceased by 1747.

1740's Graveline also lived on Bayou St. John and other locations in New Orleans.

1750 Graveline lost his sight.

1752 Marie Catherine filed for separation of property with Jean Baptiste II.
Her mother died same year,

1754 Marie Catherine was awarded her separation.

1757 Jean Baptiste Baudrau II was broken on the wheel.

1762 Jean Baptiste Baudrau dit Graveline died.

1797 Marie Catherine Vinconneau Baudrau died at the age 82.

The following document is from the New Orleans Notarial Archives. It was translated by Howard Margot, researcher.

Succession of Widow Baudrau on 2 July 1762 was submitted by:
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1762	(67386)
Le 2 juillet <i>The 2nd July</i>	Compte et partage de produits des ventes <i>Account and partition of the proceeds from the sales</i>
Compte et <i>Account and</i>	de six terrains Et Emplacements provenant <i>of six lots of ground and emplacements belonging</i>
Partagéde <i>Partition of [the]</i>	de la succession de deffunt Jean-Baptiste <i>to the succession of deceased Jean-Baptiste</i>
succession <i>succession</i>	Baudreau Vendus Judicieusement En Vertu <i>Baudreau sold at public auction by virtue</i>
des terrains de <i>of the lots of</i>	de L'ordonnance de Monsieur de Rochemore <i>of the ordinance of Monsieur de Rochemore</i>
la V ^e . Bodereau <i>the W^{dow}. Bodereau</i>	Commissaire Général de la marine ordonnateur <i>Commissioner General of the Navy [King's] intendant</i>
quittance	Et premier Conseiller au Conseil Supérieur de <i>and first Councilor on the Superior Council of</i>
f. vo. 29	La Province de la Louisiane En datte du sixième <i>the Province of Louisiana on the date of the sixth</i>
Desvergés	mars dernier ----- <i>March last,</i>
De Reggio	fait Entre françois mazurier au nom Et comme <i>done amongst Fran�ois Mazurier in the name of and as</i>
Ducros	ayant Epous� marie-Catherine Baudreau fille <i>the spouse of Marie-Catherine Baudreau, daughter</i>
(8207)	du d ^t . deffunt Et de Catherine Vinconneau Veuve <i>of the said deceased and of Catherine Vinconneau, widow</i>
	du d ^t . deffunt Et sépar�e de biens d'avec le dit <i>of the said deceased and separate in property from the said</i>
	deffunt par autorit� de justice ----- <i>deceased by authority of the law,</i>
	Jean-Baptiste Baudreau fils majeur au fait de <i>Jean-Baptiste Baudreau, major son, by virtue of</i>
	ses droits du d ^t . deffun�t Baudreau Et de la d ^{te} . <i>his rights, of the said deceased Baudreau and of the said</i>
	Vinconneau ----- <i>Vinconneau,</i>
	Claude Et marie-Louise Baudreau mineurs <i>Claude and Marie-Louise Baudreau, minors,</i>
	Emancip�s d'�ge proc�dants sous l'autorit� <i>emancipated from age [and] proceeding under the authority</i>
	du d ^t . Jean-Baptiste Leur fr�re Et Leur Curateur <i>of the said Jean-Baptiste their brother and their Curator</i>
	aux Causes ----- <i>under the law,</i>
	tous cy pr��sents � l'Exception [sic] du d ^t . Claude <i>all here present with the exception of the said Claude,</i>

Auquel Compte Et Partage il a été présentement
with the which Account and Partition it was presently
procédé Par devant Nous Jacques delachaise
proceeded before us, Jacques de La Chaise
Conseiller accesseur au Conseil Supérieur de cette
Councilor assessor on the Superior Council of this
Province Commissaire Nommé En cette Partie
Province, Arbitre named in this case,
Présence de Monsieur De la Lande aussy Con^{er}.
[in the] presence of Monsieur de La Lande, also Councilor
accesseur au d^t. Conseil y faisant fonction de
assessor on the said Council, there also the acting
Procureur Général du Roy Et Par devant
Procurer General for the King, and before

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Le Notaire Royal de la d^{te}. Province Résident
the Royal Notary of the said Province residing
En cette Ville de la N^{le}. orléans présence
in this city of New Orleans, [in the] presence
des témoins soussignés Et Pour parvenir
of the undersigned witnesses. And in order to effect
au présent partage il a été Etably le montant
the present partition, there has been established the addition
du produit de la vente des dits terrains
of the proceeds from the sales of the said lots of ground
ainsy qu'il En suit -----
as follows:

Premièrement le premier procès Verbal de Vente
Firstly, the first procès verbal of the sale
de deux terrains Et une mauvaise Cabanne adjugés
of two lots and a cabin in poor condition, auctioned
au S^r. françois Broutin Le Vingt-deux mars
to Sir François Broutin the twenty-second of March
dernier Est de la somme de Douze mille #
past, is for the sum of twelve thousand
deux cents cinquante Livres Cy ---- 12250 -"
two hundred fifty pounds, thus:
Celluy de deux autres terrains y
The procès verbal of two other lots of ground thereto
attenant sur lesquels il n'y a
contiguous, on the which there are not
point de Bâtiments, du d^t. jour
any buildings, auctioned the same day,

Est de la somme de onze mille
is for the sum of eleven thousand
Cinq Cents [cin]quante Livres Cy ---- 11550 - "
five hundred fifty pounds, thus:
Celuy de deux autres terrains aussy
The procès verbal of two other lots of ground also
y attenants faisant l'Encoigneur
contiguous thereto, forming the corner
des Rues Bourgogne Et S^{te}. Ursule
of the streets Burgundy and Ursulines,
adjudgés au d^t. Sr. Broutin suivant
auctioned to the said Sir Broutin according to
le procès verbal du d^t. jour Est de
the procès verbal of the same day, is for
La somme de treize mille Livres
the sum of thirteen thousand pounds,
Cy ----- 13000 - "
thus:
Total du Produit des dittes
Total from the proceeds of the said
Ventes Trente-Six mille
sales, thirty-six thousand
huit Cents Livres Cy ----- 36800 - "
eight hundred pounds, thus:

(67388) Cy Contre #
from above 36800 - "
Sur Laquelle Somme [et dette?] Est à
From the which sum [and debt?] must be
Prélever avant partage une Somme
subtracted before partition a sum
de trois mille Livres dues à la d^{te}. Vinconneau
of three thousand pounds due to the said Vinconneau
par fait [de] Son mary Et portée En son
by deed of her husband and stated in her
Contrat de mariage dont les dits
marriage contract, of the which [deed] the said
Co-apartageants déclarent avoir Connaissance
co-partitioners declare having knowledge,
Cy ----- 3000 - "
thus:
Celle de Cent quatre-vingt
That [sum] of one hundred eighty-

deux Livres due[s] au nommé
two pounds due to the individual named
Brazelier suivant le billet du d^t.
Brazelier according to the I.O.U. of the said
deffunt du 9^{me}. x^{bre}. 1756 Cy ----- 182 - "
deceased of the 9th December 1756, thus:
Celle de Cinquante-cinq Livres
That [sum] of fifty-five pounds
due au N^é. Jean Picar[d] suivant
due to the individual named Jean Picard according to
Le billet du d^t. deffunt du 21 Juillet
the I.O.U. of the said deceased of the 21st July
1752 Cy ----- 55 - "
1752, thus:
Celle de soixante-dix Livres
That [sum] of seventy pounds
payée par Le S^r. mazurier au S^r.
paid by Sir Mazurier to the Sir
[Desborde?] pour Ecritures Cy ---- 70 - " } 4637 - "
[Desborde?] for paperwork, thus:
Celle de quatre Cent Livres que
That [sum] of four hundred pounds that
Les d^{ts}. Co-apartageants ont alloué
the said co-partitioners have allocated
pour son Voyage de La mobile En
for his voyage from Mobile to
Cette Ville qu'il a fait à leur Sollicitation
this city, which he made at their behest,
Et pour les paines Et soins qu'il
and for the pains and cares which he
S'est donné p^r. Cette affaire Cy --- 400 - "
undertook for this affair, thus:
Celle de Neuf Cents Vingt
That [sum] of nine hundred twenty
Livres allouées au Greffier pour
pounds allocated to the Clerk of Court for
Le Recouvrement des d^{ts}. fonds Et
the recovery of the said funds and [for the]
Garde d'iceux Cy ----- 920 - "
safekeeping thereof, thus:
Celle de Soixante Livres au No^{re}.
That [sum] of sixty pounds to the Notary
Pour le Coust des présentes Et
for the cost of the present documents and
Expéd^{ons}. par duplication Cy ----- 60 - "
[their] distribution as copies. 32113 - "

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L'autre part
Carried over

32113 - "

Reste donnée à Partager Entre les
[The] remainder given to partition among the
quatre héritiers Enfans La somme
four inheriting children, the sum
de trente deux mille Cent treize livres
of thirty-two thousand one hundred thirteen pounds,
Ce qui fait pour La Part revenant
which makes for the part coming
au s^r. Mazurier En Sa qualité Celle
to Sir Mazurier, in his capacity [as husband], that [sum]
de huit mille vingt-huit Livres #
of eight thousand twenty-eight pounds
Cinq Sols Cy ----- 8028 - 5}
five shillings, thus:
Pareille somme à Jean-B^{te}. Cy- 8028 - 5 } 16056 - 10
[A] like sum to Jean-Baptiste, thus:

	#	s
Et Pareille somme de	16056 - 10	aux
<i>And [a] like sum of</i>	<u>16056 - 10</u>	<i>to the</i>
deux mineurs -----		
<i>two minors</i>		
sur quoy Est à prélever	130 - "	pour
<i>from the which [sum] must be subtracted 130 - " for</i>		
Les frais faits pour l'Election du tuteur		
<i>the fees incurred for the election of a Guardian</i>		
Et Emancipation Suivant Ces Etats		
<i>and [for the] emancipation following those proceedings'</i>		
arrestés -----		130 - "
<i>judgement:</i>	<u>15926 - 10</u>	
Dont la moitié revenant à Claude		
<i>Of which the half coming to Claude</i>		
Est de -----	7963 - 5}	
<i>is [in the amount of]:</i>		
Et à Marie-Louise -----	<u>7963 - 5</u> }	<u>15926 - 10</u>
<i>and to Marie-Louise:</i>		
fait Et arresté à La Nouvelle		<u>32113 - "</u>
<i>Done and judged in New</i>		
Orléans Le dix-sept Avril mil sept Cent		
<i>Orleans, the 17th of April, [in the year] One thousand seven</i>		
<i>hundred</i>		

Soixante-deux
[and] sixty-two.

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Et à L'instant sont Comparus Le s^r. mazurier
And at that moment appeared the Sir Mazurier
En sa qualité Et La d^{te}. Vinconneau Veuve
in his capacity [as husband] and the said Vinconneau Widow
Beaudreau Lesquels après avoir pris à
Beaudreau who, after having had
Lecture Et Communication du Compte Et Partage
Reading and Communication of the Account and Partition

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Cy-Contre Et des autres parts ils L'ont
herein above and carried over, they [sic] have the same
aprouvé Et Confirmé En tout son Contenu
approved and confirmed in its entirety,
Et ont reconnu Et Confessé avoir Ce Jourd'huy
and have recognized and confessed having this day
Reçu Comptant des mains du Greffier
received in cash from the hands of the Clerk of Court,
La [somme] sçavoir Le d^t. s^r. mazurier La somme de
the sum, to wit, the said Sir Mazurier the sum of
huit mille quatre Cents quatre-vingts huit
eight thousand four hundred eighty-eight
Livres Cinq Sols tant pour la partie à luy
pounds five shillings, both for the portion coming
Revenant par le sus-d^t. Compte que pour
to him from the above-said Account and for
Ce qui Luy a été alloué pour ses peines soins
that which has been allocated to him for his pains, cares
Et Ecritures dont il tient quitte Et déchargé
and paperwork, of which [sum] he holds quits and discharged
Le d^t. Greffier qui En demeure Bien Et
the said Clerk of Court, who of this [sum] remains well and
Valablement déchargé Et La d^{te}. Vinconneau
validly discharged; and the said Vinconneau
Celle de trois mille Livres pour autant qui
that [sum] of tree thousand pounds for inasmuch as it
Est porté au d^t. Compte dont pareillement
is stated in the said Account, of which [sum] likewise

Le Greffier demeure Bien Et Valablement
the Clerk of Court remains well and validly
déchargé Promettant &^{ra}. obligéant &^{ra}.
discharged, promising etc. obliging etc.
Chacun En droit 1^{er}. Solidairement Renon^t. &^{ra}.
each by [his/her] basic right, in solidarity renouncing etc.
fait Et passé à La N^{lle}. orléans En L'Etude
Done and passed in New Orleans in the Notary's office
Les sus-d^{ts}. jour mois Et an présence de mon d^t.
the above-said day, month and year and in the presence of my said
Comm^{re}. Et Procureur Général Et des s^{rs}.
Commissioner and Procurer General and of the Sirs
fusellier de la Claire Et marin Barry témoins
Fusellier de La Claire and Marin Barry, witnesses
y demeurant Et a La d^{te}. Vinconneau déclaré
here residing, and the said Vinconneau has declared
ne Sçavoir Ecrire ny Signer de Ce Enquis
not knowing how to read or sign, enquiry was made of this
suivant L'ord^{ce}.
according to the ordinance.

Fusellier De la Claire

Mazurier

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Et le dix-neuvième du d^t. mois Et an du matin sont
And the nineteenth of the said month and year, in the morning, did
Comparus Jean-Baptiste Beaudreau Et marie
appear Jean-Baptiste Beaudreau and Marie

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Beaudreau mineure Emancipé[e] d'âge author[isée]
Beaudreau, minor, emancipated from age, authorized
à L'Effet des présentes par son d^t. frère Et Curateur
to the effect of these documents by her said brother and Curator
aux Causes Lesquels pour avoir Vu Et Examiné
under the law, who, for having seen and examined
Le Compte Et Partage Cy-devant Et des autres
the Account and Partition hereinabove and carried
parts ils ont déclaré qu'ils L'aprouvent
over, they [sic] have declared that they approve,
Confirment Et Ratifient En tout son Contenu
confirm and ratify it in its entirety,

Et Veulent Et Entendent qu'il soit homologué
and desire and intend that it be recognized
Et Connfirmé En Justice Et Reconnaissent Et
and confirmed in the courts, and recognize and
Confessent avoir Reçu Ce jourd'huy Comptant
confess having received this day in cash
des mains du Greffier Sçavoir Le d^t. jean-B^{te}.
from the hands of the Clerk of Court, to wit, the said Jean-Baptiste
La somme de huit mille vingt-huit Livres
the sum of eight thousand twenty-eight pounds
Cinq Sols pour la part et portion à luy
five shillings for the part and portion coming
Revenante ainsy qu'il Est porté au sus-dit
to him, as it is stated in the above-said
Compte Et La d^{te}. Marie-Louise Celle de
Account, and the said Marie-Louise that [sum] of
sept mille neuf Cents Soixante-trois Livres
seven thousand nine hundred sixty-three pounds
Cinq Sols dont ils tiennent quittent Et
five shillings, of which they hold, quit and
déchargeant Le d^t. Greffier Et promettent
discharge the said Clerk of Court, and promise
Et s'obligent Le faire tenir quitte Et déchargé
and oblige themselves to have him held quits and discharged
Envers Et Contre tous [qu'] il appartiendra, Promet&
over and against whomsoever it may concern, promising etc.
oblig& Renon& fait Et passé à la N^{lle}. orléans
obliging etc. renouncing etc. Done and passed in New Orleans
En L'Etude Les sus-d^{ts}. jour mois Et an En présence
in the Notary's office the above-said day, month and year and in
the presence
Et du Consentement de M^{rs}. De la chaise et
and by the consent of Messrs. de La Chaise and
De la Lande Et aussy En présence des S^{rs}. Gabriel
de La Lande and also in the presence of the Sirs Gabriel
fusellier de la Claire Et marin Barry témoins
Fusellier de La Claire and Marin Barry, witnesses
y demeurant Et a le d^t. Jean-B^{te}. déclaré
here residing, and the said Jean-Baptiste has declared
ne Sçavoir Ecrire ny Signer de Ce Enquis
not knowing how to read or sign, enquiry was made of this

Suivant L'ord^{ee}.
according to the ordinance.

Bary

louis(e) baudrau

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Fuselier De la Claire

Aujourd'huy deuxième jour du mois de juillet mil sept
Today, second day of the month of July One thousand seven

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cent soixante-deux, par devant le Notaire Royal de
hundred sixty-two, before the Royal Notary of
la Province de la Loüisianne résident à la N^{le}. orléans
the Province of Louisiana, residing in New Orleans,
est Comparu Claude Baudreau assisté et autorisé
did appear Claude Baudreau assisted and authorized
de jean-Baptiste son frère et son curateur, lequel
by Jean-Baptiste, his brother and his Curator,
en présence et du consentement de Monsieur
in the presence and by the consent of Monsieur
De la Lande Conseiller au Conseil Supérieur de cette
de La Lande, Councilor on the Superior Council of this
Province y faisant fonction de procureur général
Province, there also the acting Procurer General
du Roy, a reconnu et confirmé avoir reçu ce jourd'hui
for the King, has recognized and confirmed having received this
day
comptant et en nos présences des mains du Greffier la
in cash and in our presence from the hands of the Clerk of Court
the
somme de Sept mille neuf cent soixante-trois livres
sum of seven thousand nine hundred sixty-three pounds
cinq sols pour la part et portion à lui revenant
five shillings for the part and portion coming to him
aux comptes et partages ci-devant et d'autres parts,
through the Accounts and Partitions hereinabove and carried over,
de laquelle ditte somme de Sept mille neuf cent soixante-
of which said sum of seven thousand nine hundred sixty-
trois livres cinq sols il tient quitte et déchargé le dit
three pounds five shillings he holds quits and discharged the said
Greffier et promet le faire tenir quitte et déchargé
Clerk of Court, and promises to have him held quits and
discharged
envers et contre tous qu'il appartient, promettant,
over and against whomsoever it may concern, promising

obligeant, renonçant &^{ra}. fait et passé à la N^{lle}. orléans
obliging, renouncing etc. Done and passed in New Orleans
en l'Etude les sus-dit[s] jour, mois et an, présence des
in the Notary's office the above-said day, month and year, in the
presence of the

Sieurs Marin Barry et Pierre chiron témoins y demeurant
Sirs Marin Barry and Pierre Chiron, witnesses here residing
qui ont signé, hors le dit jean-Baptiste Baudrau qui a
who have signed, except the said Jean-Baptiste Baudrau, who has
déclaré ne Sçavoir Ecrire ni Signer de ce enquis suivant
declared not knowing how to read or sign, enquiry was made of
this according to

l'ordonnance *Claude Baudrau*
the ordinance.

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Barry

Chiron

Brouatin no^o.